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MESOTHELIOMAS (Invasive)AGE-ADJUSTED CANCER SEER INCIDENCE RATES\$, 1977-99

By Race, Sex and Year of Diagnosis

Year of Diagnosis

Race/Sex	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
All Races																							
Both Sexes	0.6	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.1
Males	1.0	1.4	1.5	1.8	1.4	1.4	1.9	2.0	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.8	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.5	2.0	2.2	2.1	2.1	1.9	2.1	2.0
0-54	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
55-64	1.7	3.8	2.6	4.0	3.5	3.7	3.6	4.1	4.8	3.8	3.1	2.9	3.4	4.4	4.3	4.7	2.7	3.8	2.9	4.4	4.0	3.0	4.0
65-74	5.0	6.1	8.0	9.8	6.7	5.7	8.8	8.6	8.6	7.3	9.1	9.4	14.1	8.8	10.3	9.7	11.4	8.9	11.6	8.5	9.4	9.7	9.7
75-84	5.6	7.0	9.5	10.2	9.8	7.6	15.6	14.9	9.3	13.5	11.4	14.4	11.0	17.3	17.1	18.0	13.9	18.7	16.8	17.6	12.3	16.4	16.2
85+	1.7	5.0	9.7	6.3	3.1	6.1	6.0	11.8	5.8	7.1	8.3	9.5	14.6	12.9	11.1	24.8	15.8	8.6	14.3	13.7	16.8	16.1	13.6
Females	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
0-54	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
55-64	0.8	0.6	0.8	1.3	0.6	0.8	1.1	0.7	0.8	1.5	0.6	0.4	1.0	1.2	0.7	0.9	0.8	1.6	0.7	1.2	0.5	0.2	0.7
65-74	0.8	0.9	1.9	1.3	0.5	2.3	1.9	1.2	1.7	2.1	0.7	1.5	1.9	1.6	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.5	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.9	1.3
75-84	0.8	1.8	0.9	0.9	2.5	1.3	2.6	3.4	2.7	1.8	2.8	1.9	1.5	2.6	3.4	2.3	3.3	2.2	3.1	2.4	2.2	2.2	1.8
85+	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	0.0	1.3	1.2	1.2	0.6	0.6	3.2	2.1	1.5	1.0	1.9	2.3	1.8	1.3	2.9	2.8	1.6	1.9	0.7
Whites																							
Both Sexes	0.6	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.0	1.2	1.1
Males	1.1	1.5	1.6	2.0	1.5	1.5	2.0	2.2	1.7	1.8	1.8	2.0	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.7	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.0	2.2	2.1
Females	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4
Blacks																							
Both Sexes	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.9	0.3	0.8	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	1.1	0.8	0.4	0.9	0.6	0.7
Males	0.3	0.3	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.6	0.8	1.8	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.4	1.6	1.3	1.2	1.8	1.7	0.8	1.4	1.3	1.3
Females	0.1	0.3	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.2

§ SEER 9 areas. Rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population by 5-year age groups.